

NO. 876 ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE relating to traffic rules and regulations: adding new sections to Resolution 36903, 1969.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF KING COUNTY:

NEW SECTION: Section 1. There is added to King County Resolution 36903, 1969, a new section to read as follows:

The Director of the Department of Public Works, Utilities and Transportation is empowered to revise existing speed limits on all streets and roads within this county as authorized by state law; Provided, that such speed limit revisions shall not exceed ten (10) miles per hour. Provided, further, that any determination of the proper numerical value for speed zone will be based upon the following engineering and traffic investigation factors:

1. Road surface characteristics, shoulder conditions, grade, alignment and sight distance.
2. The eighty-five (85) percentile speed and pace speed.
3. Roadside development and culture, and roadside friction.
4. Safe speed for curves or hazardous locations within the zone.
5. Parking practices and pedestrian activity.
6. Reported accident experience for a recent twelve (12) month period.

NEW SECTION: Section 2. There is added to King County Resolution 36903, 1969, a new section to read as follows:

Action of the Director of the Department of Public Works, Utilities and Transportation in any speed limit revisions may be appealed by a person to the King County Council provided the appeal

1 is filed in writing within ten (10) working days from the date of
2 posting of Speed Zone.

3 PASSED this 21st day of June, 1971.

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5 KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON

6 ATTEST:

7 ROBERT B. DUNN
Chairman of the Council

8 ACTING RAY OLSEN
9 Clerk of the Council

10 APPROVED this 22nd day of June, 1971.

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12 JOHN D. SPELLMAN
King County Executive

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16 APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

17 Bruce W. Olsen
Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

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Date